

Liberton Banks
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My dear Mrs Nichol

223 I have been
thinking over what Mr
Lloyd Garrison said the other
evening on the "Women" question
and the more I think of it
the more anxious I am that
his opinions should be heard
in this country. I think it
would put new life into
our movement and you
know how much we require
something of that kind just
now. People think only

of the political aspect of the question and that it is of no immediate consequence and so put us aside. But how beautifully Mr. Garrison could show them that it is one of the largest and most momentous questions of the day affecting as it does the whole human race.

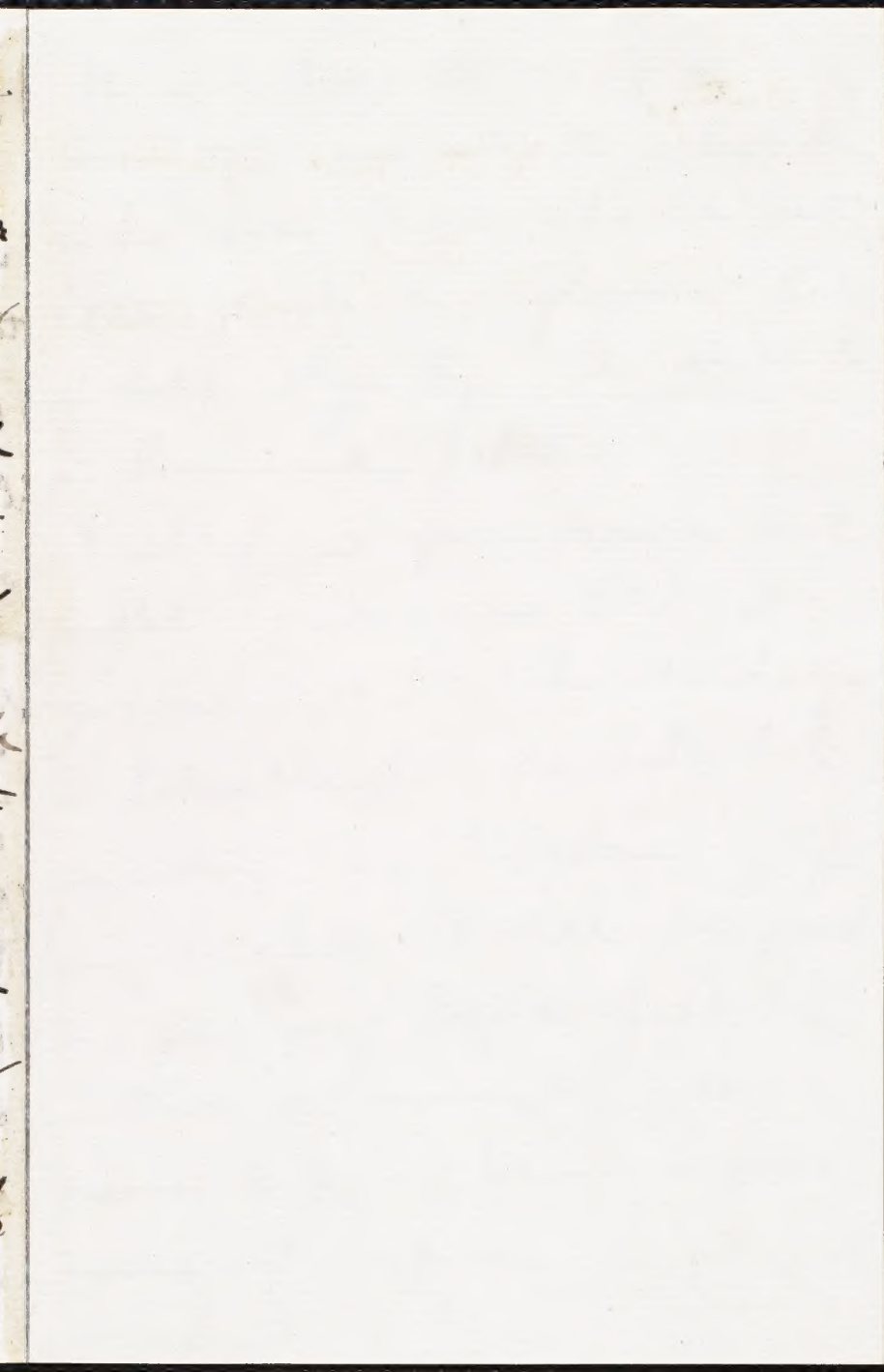
Besides Mr. Garrison's well known personal character and eloquence there are other two weighty reasons why I think it would be well to have his public

opinion here on the "Woman"
question. One is his success
in the other great movement he
took up (people believe in
success). The other that Amer-
ica has got a bad name
on the "Women's Rights" question
and he would wipe that
out completely by the high
moral and religious tone
he would give it -

All this I have no doubt
has been thought over by
our friends of the cause
here. and the difficulty

I suppose is. will Mr Garrison
speak and could a good
meeting be got up at this season

Now I heard Mr Garrison say
he would like to help us
and he looks so hale and
heartily that I am sure he
could. and although my
peeps are out of town at
present there are always enough
of good and true people to
make up a meeting. Such
men as Baelin Lewis, and
Mr Rev. W. C. Smith and my
other clergymen would I
am sure take part willingly
in such a meeting



It is a pity, so many of our
Committee are absent. but those
who are here should not
~~let~~ such a glorious opportunity
of help slip by. it would be
a thousand pities.

I called at your house last
night and was told Mr
Garrison would be back again
in Edinburgh. so I do hope
something can be done. if
he consents I will be glad
to give any little help I can
in time or money. you
know I have had a good
deal of experience in getting help

Meetings.

With kin regards

Yours truly

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